

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO & 1449B/PTO

FIRST INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)			<i>Complete if Known</i>		
			Application Number	10/563752	
			Filing Date		
			First Named Inventor	Yasuhiro Matsumoto et al.	
			Examiner Name		
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	001560-589

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Document Number	Kind Code (if known)	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Issue/Publication Date (MM-DD-YYYY)

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Document Number	Kind Code (if known)	Country	Date of Publication (MM-DD-YYYY)	STATUS						
					Translation	Partial Translation	Eng. Lang. Summary	Search Report	IPER	Abstract	Cited in Spec
	2001-261976	A	Japan abstract only					X			
	05279019	A	Japan abstract only					X			
	04050105	A	Japan abstract only					X			
	2001-234029	A	Japan abstract only					X			
	09272786	A	Japan abstract only					X			
	08183855	A	Japan abstract only					X			

NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.

Examiner Signature	/Darcy LaClair/	Date Considered	04/01/2008
--------------------	-----------------	-----------------	------------

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. § 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.